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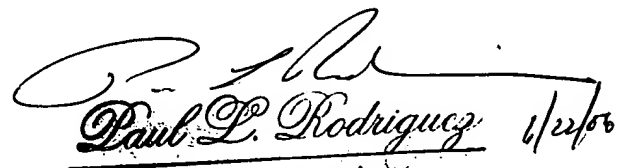
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The Board remanded the appeal brief filed on 10/20/05 because the "Summary of claimed subject matter" appearing on pages 2-7 was deficient in not mapping the claimed invention to the independent claims; and the headings "Real Party of Interest" and "Evidence Relied Upon" were absent. Furthermore, the Board wanted an explanation as to why the 10/18/04 IDS was not considered. At the time of examination, some of the non-patent and patent literature was absent from the case, thus was not considered.


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